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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated August 30, 2010, concerning the above-referenced patent application. As the shortened statutory reply period expires on November 30, 2010, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

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